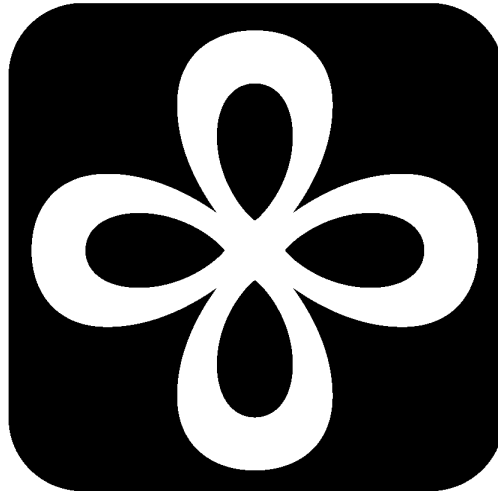


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**Provider Manual**

**Orthopedic Shoe Dealer**



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## I. ESTABLISHMENTS ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE

Retail dealers in orthopedic shoes and shoe repair shops specializing in orthopedic work (padding, wedging, metatarsal bars, built-up soles or heels, etc.) are establishments eligible to participate in Medicaid.

## II. COVERAGE OF SERVICES

Orthopedic shoes, inserts, arch supports and modifications are covered when:

- ◆ A written prescription by a doctor of medicine, podiatry or osteopathy, physician assistant or advanced registered nurse practitioner includes the date, diagnosis, reason the orthopedic shoes are needed, probable duration of need and specific description of any modification the shoes must include, and
- ◆ The diagnosis indicates an orthopedic, neuromuscular, vascular or insensate foot condition. **Note:** A diagnosis of flat feet is **not** covered.

Medicare criteria are followed for persons with diabetes.

### A. Definitions

**Depth shoes** are shoes that:

- ◆ Have a full length, heel-to-toe filler that when removed provides a minimum of 3/16" of additional depth used to accommodate custom-molded or customized inserts, and
- ◆ Are made from leather or other suitable material of equal quality, and
- ◆ Have some form of shoe closure, and
- ◆ Are available in full and half sizes with a minimum of three widths so that the sole is graded to the size and width of the upper portions of the shoe according to the American standard last sizing schedule or its equivalent.



**Custom molded** shoes are shoes that:

- ◆ Are constructed over a positive model of the recipient's foot, and
- ◆ Are made of leather or another suitable material of equal quality, and
- ◆ Have inserts that can be altered or replaced as the recipient's condition warrants, and
- ◆ Have some form of closure such as laces or Velcro.

**Metatarsal bars** are exterior bars that are placed behind the metatarsal heads in order to remove pressure from the metatarsal heads. The bars are of various shapes, heights, and construction depending on the exact purpose.

**Offset heel** is a heel flanged at its base either in the middle, to the side, or a combination, that is then extended upward to the shoe in order to stabilize extreme positions of the hind foot.

**Rigid rocker bottoms** are exterior elevations with apex position for 51% to 75% distance measured from the back end of the heel. The apex is a narrowed or pointed end of an anatomical structure. The apex must be positioned behind the metatarsal heads and tapering off sharply to the front tip of the sole.

Apex height helps to eliminate pressure at the metatarsal heads. The steel in the shoe ensures rigidity. The heel of the shoe tapers off in the back in order to cause the heel to strike in the middle of the heel.

**Roller bottoms** (sole or bar) are the same as rocker bottoms, but the heel is tapered from the apex to the front tip of the sole.

**Wedges** (posting) are either of hind foot, fore foot, or both and may be in the middle or to the side. The function is to shift or transfer weight bearing upon standing or during ambulation to the opposite side for added support, stabilization, equalized weight distribution, or balance.



## B. Limitations

Payment for orthopedic shoes and inserts are limited as follows:

- ◆ Only two pairs of depth shoes per recipient are allowed in a 12-month period unless documentation of change in size or evidence of excessive wear is submitted.
- ◆ Three pairs of inserts in addition to the non-customized removable inserts provided with depth shoes are allowed in a 12-month period.
- ◆ Only two pairs of custom-molded shoes (which include inserts provided with these shoes) per recipient are allowed in a 12-month period unless documentation of change in size or evidence of excessive wear is submitted.
- ◆ Two additional pairs of inserts for custom molded shoes are allowed in a 12-month period.
- ◆ **Exception:** Athletic shoes for school age children under age 21 are allowed in addition to orthopedic shoes when required for participation in school sports.

**Custom molded** shoes, inserts and modifications are allowed only for recipients with a foot deformity that cannot be accommodated by a depth shoe. The nature and severity of the deformity must be well documented in the supplier's records. If there is insufficient justification for a custom molded shoe but the general coverage criteria are met, payment will be based on the allowance for the depth shoe.

Payment will be allowed for casting an impression that is required to manufacture a custom-made shoe.

**Materials and labor** required to modify orthopedic shoes and other specified foot orthotic devices are covered according to the specifications or the written prescription of a doctor of medicine, osteopathy, or podiatry, physician assistant or advanced registered nurse practitioner.

**Women's and men's orthopedic shoes not attached to a brace** are covered when the second shoe is attached to a brace and is covered by other third-party payment. (Coverage differs from Medicare.)



**Plaster impression foot orthotics** are covered when:

- ◆ Constructed of more than one layer of a material that is soft enough and firm enough to hold an impression during use, **and**
- ◆ Are molded to the patient's foot or made over a model of the foot. (Coverage differs from Medicare.)

**Molded digital orthotics** are covered.

### III. PRESCRIPTION REQUIREMENT

When examination by a doctor of medicine, osteopathy, or podiatry, physician assistant or advanced registered nurse practitioner indicates that orthopedic shoes and other covered services are required, the examiner shall give the recipient a written prescription. The prescription must include the special features required. i.e., padding, wedging, metatarsal bars, degree of built-up heels or soles, etc.

**Note for custom-made shoes:** In order to substantiate this expensive treatment, the prescriber must include the diagnosis on the prescription for custom-made shoes.

When a prescription presented by or on behalf of recipients fails to set forth the required information, you are advised to return it to the prescriber for correction before filling it.

### IV. BASIS OF PAYMENT FOR SERVICES

The basis of payment for goods and services provided by orthopedic shoe dealers and shoe repair shops specializing in orthopedic work shall be:

- ◆ The shoe dealer's usual, customary and reasonable charge for the type or kind of shoe prescribed,
  - Up to a maximum fee for the type or kind of shoe prescribed,
  - Plus the cost of materials and labor required to modify the shoes according to the specifications of the prescription.

Payment for mismatched shoes (other than custom-made) shall be based on one and one-half the usual, customary and reasonable charge, up to the maximum fee for a matched pair of shoes.



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- ◆ The shoe repair shop's usual, customary and reasonable charge, up to a maximum fee for materials and labor necessary to modify orthopedic shoes according to the specifications of the prescription.

## V. PROCEDURE CODES AND NOMENCLATURE

Medicaid recognizes Medicare's National Level II Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS). However, all HCPCS codes are not covered.

Covered codes not listed in HCPCS (local "W" codes) are identified on the fee schedule. Refer to the current fee schedule for a listing covered of codes. The fee schedule can be accessed on line at [www.dhs.state.ia.us/Publications](http://www.dhs.state.ia.us/Publications). Providers who do not have Internet access can obtain a copy upon request from the fiscal agent.

It is your responsibility to select the code that best describes the item dispensed. Claims submitted without a procedure code will be denied. Refer coverage questions to the fiscal agent.

**Note:** Place the two position modifier "Z1" after the procedure code for each service related to "Care for Kids" (EPSDT) examination.

### Procedure Code      Men's or Women's Basic Shoes

L3215	Orthopedic footwear, women's shoes, oxford
L3216	Orthopedic footwear, women's shoes, depth inlay
L3217	Orthopedic footwear, women's shoes, hightop, depth inlay
L3219	Orthopedic footwear, men's shoes, oxford
L3221	Orthopedic footwear, men's shoes, depth inlay
L3222	Orthopedic footwear, men's shoes, hightop, depth inlay
L3260	Ambulatory surgical boot (each)
L3265	Plastazote sandal, each

### Children's Shoes

L3201	Orthopedic shoe, oxford with supinator or pronator, infant
L3202	Orthopedic shoe, oxford with supinator or pronator, child
L3203	Orthopedic shoe, oxford with supinator or pronator, junior



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L3204	Orthopedic shoe, hightop with supinator or pronator, infant
L3206	Orthopedic shoe, hightop with supinator or pronator, child
L3207	Orthopedic shoe, hightop with supinator or pronator, junior
L3208	Surgical boot, infant (each)
L3209	Surgical boot, child (each)
L3211	Surgical boot, junior (each)
L3212	Benesch boot, infant (pair)
L3213	Benesch boot, child (pair)
L3214	Benesch boot, junior (each)
T1999	Tennis shoes, when required for school sports and the recipient has a medical condition that requires special shoes. A description is required.

Modification of Shoes

E1830	Dynamic adjustable toe extension/flexion device, includes soft interface material
L3000	Foot insert, removable, molded to patient model, "UCB" type, Berkeley Shell (each)
L3001	Foot insert, removable, molded to patient model, Spenco, each
L3002	Foot insert, removable, molded to patient model, plastazote or equal (each)
L3003	Foot insert, removable, molded to patient model, silicone gel, each
L3010	Foot insert, removable, molded to patient model, longitudinal, arch support, each
L3020	Foot insert, removable, molded to patient model, longitudinal/metatarsal support, each
L3030	Foot insert, removable, formed to patient foot, each
L3070	Foot arch support, non-removable attached to shoe, longitudinal (each)
L3080	Foot arch support, non-removable attached to shoe, metatarsal (each)
L3090	Foot arch support, non-removable attached to shoe, longitudinal or metatarsal (each)
L3100	Hallus-valgus night dynamic splint





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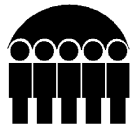
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Modification of Shoes (Cont.)

L3140	Foot abduction rotation bars (Dennis Browne type)
L3150	Foot abduction rotation bars (Dennis Browne type) clamped to shoe
L3340	Heel wedge, sach
L3350	Heel wedge
L3360	Sole wedge, outside sole
L3370	Sole wedge, between sole
L3380	Clubfoot wedge
L3390	Outflare wedge
L3400	Metatarsal bar wedge, rocker
L3410	Metatarsal bar wedge, between sole
L3420	Full sole and heel wedge, between sole heels
L3430	Heel, counter, plastic-reinforced
L3440	Heel, counter, leather-reinforced
L3450	Heel, sach cushion type
L3455	Heel, new leather, standard
L3460	Heel, new rubber, standard
L3465	Heel, Thomas with wedge
L3470	Heel, Thomas extended to ball
L3500	Orthopedic shoe addition, insole, leather
L3510	Orthopedic shoe addition, insole, rubber
L3520	Orthopedic shoe addition insole, felt covered with leather
L3530	Miscellaneous shoe additions, half sole
L3540	Miscellaneous shoe additions, convert instep to velcro closure
L3570	Heel, Thomas extended to ball
L3580	Heel, pad and depression for spur
L3590	Miscellaneous shoe additions, convert firm shoe counter to soft counter
L3595	Orthopedic shoe addition, March bar
L3649	Shoe inserts or modifications not otherwise classified (furnish description)



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Shoe Padding


L3300	Lifts, elevation, heel, tapered to metatarsals, per inch
L3310	Lifts, elevation, heel and sole, neoprene, per inch
L3320	Lifts, elevation, heel and sole, cork, per inch
L3330	Lifts, elevation, metal extension, skate
L3332	Lifts, elevation, inside shoe, tapered up to one-half inch
L3334	Lifts, elevation, heel, per inch
L3480	Heel, pad and depression for spur
L3485	Heel, pad, removable for spur

Custom-Made Shoes

L3230	Orthopedic footwear, custom shoes, depth inlay
L3250	Orthopedic footwear, custom-molded shoe, removable inner mold, prosthetic shoe (each)
L3251	Foot, shoe molded to patient model, silicone shoe (each)
L3252	Foot, shoe molded to patient model, plastazote (or similar), custom-fabricated (each)
L3253	Foot, molded shoe plastazote (or similar) custom-fitted (each)
L3257	Orthopedic footwear, additional charge for split size
S0395	Plaster impression

Service

L3600	Transfer of an orthosis from one shoe to another, caliper plate, existing
L3610	Transfer of an orthosis from one shoe to another, caliper plate, new
L3620	Transfer of an orthosis from one shoe to another, solid stirrup, existing
L3630	Transfer of an orthosis from one shoe to another, solid stirrup, new
L3640	Transfer of an orthosis from one shoe to another, Dennis Browne splint (Riveton), both shoes
L4200	Repair of orthotic device, hourly rate
L4210	Repair of orthotic device, repair or replace minor parts (furnish description)
W0388	Fitting charge (prosthetic or orthotic)
99082	Mileage charge, dealer, per mile, out-of-town

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## I. INSTRUCTIONS AND CLAIM FORM

### A. Instructions for Completing the Claim Form

The table below contains information that will aid in the completion of the HCFA-1500 claim form. The table follows the form by field number and name, giving a brief description of the information to be entered, and whether providing information in that field is required, optional or conditional of the individual recipient's situation.

A star (\*) in the instructions area of the table indicates a new item or change in policy for Iowa Medicaid providers.

*For electronic media claim (EMC) submitters, refer also to your EMC specifications for claim completion instructions.*

<b>FIELD NUMBER</b>	<b>FIELD NAME/ DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>INSTRUCTIONS</b>
1.	CHECK ONE	<b>OPTIONAL</b> – Check the applicable program block.
1a.	INSURED'S ID NUMBER	<b>REQUIRED</b> – Enter the recipient's Medicaid ID number found on the <i>Medical Assistance Eligibility Card</i> . It should consist of seven digits followed by a letter, i.e., 1234567A.
2.	PATIENT'S NAME	<b>REQUIRED</b> – Enter the last name, first name and middle initial of the recipient. Use the <i>Medical Assistance Eligibility Card</i> for verification.
3.	PATIENT'S BIRTHDATE	<b>OPTIONAL</b> – Enter the patient's birth month, day, year and sex. Completing this field may expedite processing of your claim.



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4.	INSURED'S NAME	<p><b>CONDITIONAL*</b> – If the recipient is covered under someone else's insurance, enter the name of the person under which the insurance exists. This could be insurance covering the recipient as a result of a work or auto related accident.</p> <p><b>Note:</b> This section of the form is separated by a border, so that information on this other insurance follows directly below, even though the numbering does not.</p>
5.	PATIENT'S ADDRESS	<p><b>OPTIONAL</b> – Enter the address and phone number of the patient, if available.</p>
6.	PATIENT RELATIONSHIP TO INSURED	<p><b>CONDITIONAL*</b> – If the recipient is covered under another person's insurance, mark the appropriate box to indicate relation.</p>
7.	INSURED'S ADDRESS	<p><b>CONDITIONAL*</b> – Enter the address and phone number of the insured person indicated in field number 4.</p>
8.	PATIENT STATUS	<p><b>OPTIONAL</b> – Check boxes corresponding to the patient's current marital and occupational status.</p>
9a-d.	OTHER INSURED'S NAME	<p><b>CONDITIONAL*</b> – If the recipient carries other insurance, enter the name under which that insurance exists, as well as the policy or group number, the employer or school name under which coverage is offered and the name of the plan or program.</p>
10.	IS PATIENT'S CONDITION RELATED TO	<p><b>CONDITIONAL*</b> – Check the appropriate box to indicate whether or not treatment billed on this claim is for a condition that is somehow work or accident related. If the patient's condition is related to employment or an accident, and other insurance has denied payment, complete 11d, marking the "YES" and "NO" boxes.</p>
10d.	RESERVED FOR LOCAL USE	<p><b>OPTIONAL</b> – No entry required.</p>



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11a-c.	INSURED'S POLICY GROUP OR FECA NUMBER AND OTHER INFORMATION	<b>CONDITIONAL*</b> – This field continues with information related to field 4. If the recipient is covered under someone else's insurance, enter the policy number and other requested information as known.
11d.	IS THERE ANOTHER HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN?	<b>CONDITIONAL</b> – If payment has been received from another insurance, or the medical resource codes on the eligibility card indicate other insurance exists, check "YES" and enter payment amount in field 29.  If you have received a denial of payment from another insurance, check <u>both</u> "YES" and "NO" to indicate that there is other insurance, but that the benefits were denied.  <b>Note:</b> Auditing will be performed on a random basis to ensure correct billing.
12.	PATIENT'S OR AUTHORIZED PERSON'S SIGNATURE	<b>OPTIONAL</b> – No entry required.
13.	INSURED OR AUTHORIZED PERSON'S SIGNATURE	<b>OPTIONAL</b> – No entry required.
14.	DATE OF CURRENT ILL- NESS, INJURY, PREGNANCY	<b>CONDITIONAL*</b> – Chiropractors must enter the date of the onset of treatment as month, day and year. All others – no entry required.
15.	IF THE PATIENT HAS HAD SAME OR SIMILAR ILLNESS...	<b>CONDITIONAL</b> – Chiropractors must enter the current x-ray date as month, day and year. All others – no entry required.
16.	DATES PATIENT UNABLE TO WORK...	<b>OPTIONAL</b> – No entry required.



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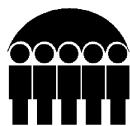
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17.	NAME OF REFERRING PHYSICIAN OR OTHER SOURCE	<b>CONDITIONAL</b> – Required if the referring physician does not have a Medicaid number.
17a.	ID NUMBER OF REFERRING PHYSICIAN	<b>CONDITIONAL*</b> – If the patient is a MediPASS recipient and the MediPASS physician authorized service, enter the seven-digit MediPASS authorization number.  If this claim is for consultation, independent lab or DME, enter the Iowa Medicaid number of the referring or prescribing physician.  If the patient is on lock-in and the lock-in physician authorized service, enter the seven-digit authorization number.
18.	HOSPITALIZATION DATES RELATED TO...	<b>OPTIONAL</b> – No entry required.
19.	RESERVED FOR LOCAL USE	<b>REQUIRED</b> – If the patient is pregnant, write “Y – Pregnant.”
20.	OUTSIDE LAB	<b>OPTIONAL</b> – No entry required.
21.	DIAGNOSIS OR NATURE OF ILLNESS	<b>REQUIRED</b> – Indicate the applicable ICD-9-CM diagnosis codes in order of importance (1-primary; 2-secondary; 3-tertiary; and 4-quaternary) to a maximum of four diagnoses.
22.	MEDICAID RESUBMISSION CODE...	<b>OPTIONAL</b> – No entry required.
23.	PRIOR AUTHORIZATION NUMBER	<b>CONDITIONAL*</b> – Enter the prior authorization number issued by ACS.



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24. A	DATE(S) OF SERVICE	<p><b>REQUIRED</b> – Enter month, day and year under both the From and To categories for each procedure, service or supply. If the From-To dates span more than one calendar month, represent each month on a separate line. Because eligibility is approved on a month-by-month basis, spanning or overlapping billing months could cause the entire claim to be denied.</p>
24. B	PLACE OF SERVICE	<p><b>REQUIRED</b> – Using the chart below, enter the number corresponding to the place service was provided. Do not use alphabetic characters.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>11 Office</li> <li>12 Home</li> <li>21 Inpatient Hospital</li> <li>22 Outpatient Hospital</li> <li>23 Emergency Room – Hospital</li> <li>24 Ambulatory Surgical Center</li> <li>25 Birthing Center</li> <li>26 Military Treatment Facility</li> <li>31 Skilled Nursing</li> <li>32 Nursing Facility</li> <li>33 Custodial Care Facility</li> <li>34 Hospice</li> <li>41 Ambulance – land</li> <li>42 Ambulance – air or water</li> <li>51 Inpatient Psychiatric Facility</li> <li>52 Psychiatric Facility – partial hospitalization</li> <li>53 Community Mental Health Center</li> <li>54 Intermediate Care Facility/Mentally Retarded</li> <li>55 Residential Substance Abuse Treatment Facility</li> <li>56 Psychiatric Residential Treatment Center</li> <li>61 Comprehensive Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility</li> <li>62 Comprehensive Outpatient Rehabilitation Facility</li> <li>65 End-stage Renal Disease Treatment</li> <li>71 State or Local Public Health Clinic</li> <li>72 Rural Health Clinic</li> <li>81 Independent Laboratory</li> <li>99 Other Unlisted Facility</li> </ul>



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24. C	TYPE OF SERVICE	<b>OPTIONAL</b> – No entry required.
24. D	PROCEDURES, SERVICES OR SUPPLIES	<b>REQUIRED</b> – Enter the appropriate five-digit procedure code and any necessary modifier for each of the dates of service. DO NOT list services for which no fees were charged.
24. E	DIAGNOSIS CODE	<b>REQUIRED</b> – Indicate the corresponding diagnosis code from field 21 by entering the number of its position, i.e., 3. DO NOT write the actual diagnosis code in this field. Doing so will cause the claim to deny. There is a maximum of four diagnosis codes per claim.
24. F	\$ CHARGES	<b>REQUIRED</b> – Enter the usual and customary charge for each line item.
24. G	DAYS OR UNITS	<b>REQUIRED</b> – Enter the number of times this procedure was performed or number of supply items dispensed. If the procedure code specifies the number of units, then enter “1.” When billing general anesthesia, the units of service must reflect the <u>total minutes</u> of general anesthesia.
24. H	EPSDT/FAMILY PLANNING	<b>OPTIONAL*</b> – Enter an “F” if the services on this claim line are for family planning. Enter an “E” if the services on this claim line are the result of an EPSDT Care for Kids screening.
24. I	EMG	<b>OPTIONAL</b> – No entry required.
24. J	COB	<b>OPTIONAL</b> – No entry required.
24. K	RESERVED FOR LOCAL USE	<b>CONDITIONAL*</b> – Enter the treating provider’s individual seven-digit Iowa Medicaid provider number when the provider number given in field 33 is that of a group and/or is not that of the treating provider.
25.	FEDERAL TAX ID NUMBER	<b>OPTIONAL</b> – No entry required.
26.	PATIENT’S ACCOUNT NUMBER	<b>OPTIONAL</b> – Enter the account number assigned to the patient by the provider of service. This field is limited to 10 alpha/numeric characters.





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27.	ACCEPT ASSIGNMENT?	<b>OPTIONAL</b> – No entry required.
28.	TOTAL CLAIM CHARGE	<b>REQUIRED</b> – Enter the total of the line item charges. If more than one claim form is used to bill services performed, each claim form must be separately totaled. Do not carry over any charges to another claim form.
29.	AMOUNT PAID	<b>CONDITIONAL*</b> – Enter only the amount paid by other insurance. Recipient co-payments, Medicare payments or previous Medicaid payments are not listed on this claim.
30.	BALANCE DUE	<b>REQUIRED*</b> – Enter the amount of total charges less the amount entered in field 29.
31.	SIGNATURE OF PHYSICIAN OR SUPPLIER	<b>REQUIRED</b> – The signature of either the physician or authorized representative and the original filing date must be entered. If the signature is computer-generated block letters, the signature must be initialed. A signature stamp may be used.
32.	NAME AND ADDRESS OF FACILITY...	<b>CONDITIONAL</b> – If other than a home or office, enter the name and address of the facility where the service(s) were rendered.
33.	PHYSICIAN'S, SUPPLIER'S BILLING NAME...	<b>REQUIRED*</b> – Enter the complete name and address of the billing physician or service supplier.
	GRP #	<b>REQUIRED</b> – Enter the seven-digit Iowa Medicaid number of the billing provider.  If this number identifies a group or an individual provider other than the provider of service, the treating provider's Iowa Medicaid number must be entered in field 24K for each line.
<b>BACK OF FORM</b>	NOTE	<b>REQUIRED</b> – The back of the claim form must be intact on every claim form submitted.

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**B. Facsimile of Claim Form, HCFA-1500 (front and back)**

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## HEALTH INSURANCE CLAIM FORM

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1. MEDICARE <input type="checkbox"/> MEDICAID <input type="checkbox"/> CHAMPUS <input type="checkbox"/> CHAMPVA <input type="checkbox"/> GROUP HEALTH PLAN <input type="checkbox"/> FECA BLK LUNG <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER <input type="checkbox"/>		1a. INSURED'S I.D. NUMBER (FOR PROGRAM IN ITEM 1)	
(Medicare #) <input type="checkbox"/> (Medicaid #) <input type="checkbox"/> (Sponsor's SSN) <input type="checkbox"/> (VA File #) <input type="checkbox"/> (SSN or ID) <input type="checkbox"/> (SSN) <input type="checkbox"/> (ID) <input type="checkbox"/>		4. INSURED'S NAME (Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial)	
2. PATIENT'S NAME (Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial)		3. PATIENT'S BIRTH DATE MM DD YY SEX M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>	
5. PATIENT'S ADDRESS (No., Street)		6. PATIENT RELATIONSHIP TO INSURED Self <input type="checkbox"/> Spouse <input type="checkbox"/> Child <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	
CITY STATE		7. INSURED'S ADDRESS (No., Street)	
ZIP CODE TELEPHONE (Include Area Code)		CITY STATE	
( )		ZIP CODE TELEPHONE (INCLUDE AREA CODE)	
( )		( )	
9. OTHER INSURED'S NAME (Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial)		10. IS PATIENT'S CONDITION RELATED TO:	
a. OTHER INSURED'S POLICY OR GROUP NUMBER		a. EMPLOYMENT? (CURRENT OR PREVIOUS) <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
b. OTHER INSURED'S DATE OF BIRTH SEX MM DD YY M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>		b. AUTO ACCIDENT? PLACE (State) <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
c. EMPLOYER'S NAME OR SCHOOL NAME		c. OTHER ACCIDENT? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
d. INSURANCE PLAN NAME OR PROGRAM NAME		10d. RESERVED FOR LOCAL USE	
11. INSURED'S POLICY GROUP OR FECA NUMBER			
a. INSURED'S DATE OF BIRTH SEX MM DD YY M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>			
b. EMPLOYER'S NAME OR SCHOOL NAME			
c. INSURANCE PLAN NAME OR PROGRAM NAME			
d. IS THERE ANOTHER HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO If yes, return to and complete item 9 a-d.			
12. PATIENT'S OR AUTHORIZED PERSON'S SIGNATURE I authorize the release of any medical or other information necessary to process this claim. I also request payment of government benefits either to myself or to the party who accepts assignment below.  SIGNED _____ DATE _____			
13. INSURED'S OR AUTHORIZED PERSON'S SIGNATURE I authorize payment of medical benefits to the undersigned physician or supplier for services described below.  SIGNED _____			
14. DATE OF CURRENT: <input type="checkbox"/> ILLNESS (First symptom) OR INJURY (Accident) OR PREGNANCY(LMP) MM DD YY		15. IF PATIENT HAS HAD SAME OR SIMILAR ILLNESS. GIVE FIRST DATE MM DD YY	
17. NAME OF REFERRING PHYSICIAN OR OTHER SOURCE		17a. I.D. NUMBER OF REFERRING PHYSICIAN	
19. RESERVED FOR LOCAL USE		18. HOSPITALIZATION DATES RELATED TO CURRENT SERVICES FROM MM DD YY TO MM DD YY	
21. DIAGNOSIS OR NATURE OF ILLNESS OR INJURY. (RELATE ITEMS 1,2,3 OR 4 TO ITEM 24E BY LINE)		20. OUTSIDE LAB? \$ CHARGES <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
1. _____ 3. _____		22. MEDICAID RESUBMISSION CODE ORIGINAL REF. NO.	
2. _____ 4. _____		23. PRIOR AUTHORIZATION NUMBER	
24. A DATE(S) OF SERVICE From To MM DD YY MM DD YY		B Place of Service	
C Type of Service		D PROCEDURES, SERVICES, OR SUPPLIES (Explain Unusual Circumstances) CPT/HCPCS MODIFIER	
E DIAGNOSIS CODE		F \$ CHARGES	
G DAYS OR UNITS		H EPSDT Family Plan	
I EMG		J COB	
K RESERVED FOR LOCAL USE			
25. FEDERAL TAX I.D. NUMBER SSN EIN		26. PATIENT'S ACCOUNT NO.	
27. ACCEPT ASSIGNMENT? (For govt. claims, see back) <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO		28. TOTAL CHARGE \$	
29. AMOUNT PAID \$		30. BALANCE DUE \$	
31. SIGNATURE OF PHYSICIAN OR SUPPLIER INCLUDING DEGREES OR CREDENTIALS (I certify that the statements on the reverse apply to this bill and are made a part thereof.)		32. NAME AND ADDRESS OF FACILITY WHERE SERVICES WERE RENDERED (If other than home or office)	
33. PHYSICIAN'S, SUPPLIER'S BILLING NAME, ADDRESS, ZIP CODE & PHONE #			
SIGNED _____ DATE _____		PIN# _____ GRP# _____	

**BECAUSE THIS FORM IS USED BY VARIOUS GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE HEALTH PROGRAMS, SEE SEPARATE INSTRUCTIONS ISSUED BY APPLICABLE PROGRAMS.**

**NOTICE:** Any person who knowingly files a statement of claim containing any misrepresentation or any false, incomplete or misleading information may be guilty of a criminal act punishable under law and may be subject to civil penalties.

#### **REFERS TO GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS ONLY**

**MEDICARE AND CHAMPUS PAYMENTS:** A patient's signature requests that payment be made and authorizes release of any information necessary to process the claim and certifies that the information provided in Blocks 1 through 12 is true, accurate and complete. In the case of a Medicare claim, the patient's signature authorizes any entity to release to Medicare medical and nonmedical information, including employment status, and whether the person has employer group health insurance, liability, no-fault, worker's compensation or other insurance which is responsible to pay for the services for which the Medicare claim is made. See 42 CFR 411.24(a). If item 9 is completed, the patient's signature authorizes release of the information to the health plan or agency shown. In Medicare assigned or CHAMPUS participation cases, the physician agrees to accept the charge determination of the Medicare carrier or CHAMPUS fiscal intermediary as the full charge, and the patient is responsible only for the deductible, coinsurance and noncovered services. Coinsurance and the deductible are based upon the charge determination of the Medicare carrier or CHAMPUS fiscal intermediary if this is less than the charge submitted. CHAMPUS is not a health insurance program but makes payment for health benefits provided through certain affiliations with the Uniformed Services. Information on the patient's sponsor should be provided in those items captioned in "Insured"; i.e., items 1a, 4, 6, 7, 9, and 11.

#### **BLACK LUNG AND FECA CLAIMS**

The provider agrees to accept the amount paid by the Government as payment in full. See Black Lung and FECA instructions regarding required procedure and diagnosis coding systems.

#### **SIGNATURE OF PHYSICIAN OR SUPPLIER (MEDICARE, CHAMPUS, FECA AND BLACK LUNG)**

I certify that the services shown on this form were medically indicated and necessary for the health of the patient and were personally furnished by me or were furnished incident to my professional service by my employee under my immediate personal supervision, except as otherwise expressly permitted by Medicare or CHAMPUS regulations.

For services to be considered as "incident" to a physician's professional service, 1) they must be rendered under the physician's immediate personal supervision by his/her employee, 2) they must be an integral, although incidental part of a covered physician's service, 3) they must be of kinds commonly furnished in physician's offices, and 4) the services of nonphysicians must be included on the physician's bills.

For CHAMPUS claims, I further certify that I (or any employee) who rendered services am not an active duty member of the Uniformed Services or a civilian employee of the United States Government or a contract employee of the United States Government, either civilian or military (refer to 5 USC 5536). For Black-Lung claims, I further certify that the services performed were for a Black Lung-related disorder.

No Part B Medicare benefits may be paid unless this form is received as required by existing law and regulations (42 CFR 424.32).

**NOTICE:** Any one who misrepresents or falsifies essential information to receive payment from Federal funds requested by this form may upon conviction be subject to fine and imprisonment under applicable Federal laws.

#### **NOTICE TO PATIENT ABOUT THE COLLECTION AND USE OF MEDICARE, CHAMPUS, FECA, AND BLACK LUNG INFORMATION (PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT)**

We are authorized by HCFA, CHAMPUS and OWCP to ask you for information needed in the administration of the Medicare, CHAMPUS, FECA, and Black Lung programs. Authority to collect information is in section 205(a), 1862, 1872 and 1874 of the Social Security Act as amended, 42 CFR 411.24(a) and 424.5(a) (6), and 44 USC 3101; 41 CFR 101 et seq and 10 USC 1079 and 1086; 5 USC 8101 et seq; and 30 USC 901 et seq; 38 USC 613; E.O. 9397.

The information we obtain to complete claims under these programs is used to identify you and to determine your eligibility. It is also used to decide if the services and supplies you received are covered by these programs and to insure that proper payment is made.

The information may also be given to other providers of services, carriers, intermediaries, medical review boards, health plans, and other organizations or Federal agencies, for the effective administration of Federal provisions that require other third parties payers to pay primary to Federal program, and as otherwise necessary to administer these programs. For example, it may be necessary to disclose information about the benefits you have used to a hospital or doctor. Additional disclosures are made through routine uses for information contained in systems of records.

**FOR MEDICARE CLAIMS:** See the notice modifying system No. 09-70-0501, titled, 'Carrier Medicare Claims Record,' published in the Federal Register, Vol. 55 No. 177, page 37549, Wed. Sept. 12, 1990, or as updated and republished.

**FOR OWCP CLAIMS:** Department of Labor, Privacy Act of 1974, "Republication of Notice of Systems of Records," Federal Register Vol. 55 No. 40, Wed Feb. 28, 1990. See ESA-5, ESA-6, ESA-12, ESA-13, ESA-30, or as updated and republished.

**FOR CHAMPUS CLAIMS: PRINCIPLE PURPOSE(S):** To evaluate eligibility for medical care provided by civilian sources and to issue payment upon establishment of eligibility and determination that the services/supplies received are authorized by law.

**ROUTINE USE(S):** Information from claims and related documents may be given to the Dept. of Veterans Affairs, the Dept. of Health and Human Services and/or the Dept. of Transportation consistent with their statutory administrative responsibilities under CHAMPUS/CHAMPVA; to the Dept. of Justice for representation of the Secretary of Defense in civil actions; to the Internal Revenue Service, private collection agencies, and consumer reporting agencies in connection with recoupment claims; and to Congressional Offices in response to inquiries made at the request of the person to whom a record pertains. Appropriate disclosures may be made to other federal, state, local, foreign government agencies, private business entities, and individual providers of care, on matters relating to entitlement, claims adjudication, fraud, program abuse, utilization review, quality assurance, peer review, program integrity, third-party liability, coordination of benefits, and civil and criminal litigation related to the operation of CHAMPUS.

**DISCLOSURES:** Voluntary; however, failure to provide information will result in delay in payment or may result in denial of claim. With the one exception discussed below, there are no penalties under these programs for refusing to supply information. However, failure to furnish information regarding the medical services rendered or the amount charged would prevent payment of claims under these programs. Failure to furnish any other information, such as name or claim number, would delay payment of the claim. Failure to provide medical information under FECA could be deemed an obstruction.

It is mandatory that you tell us if you know that another party is responsible for paying for your treatment. Section 1128B of the Social Security Act and 31 USC 3801-3812 provide penalties for withholding this information.

You should be aware that P.L. 100-503, the "Computer Matching and Privacy Protection Act of 1988", permits the government to verify information by way of computer matches.

#### **MEDICAID PAYMENTS (PROVIDER CERTIFICATION)**


I hereby agree to keep such records as are necessary to disclose fully the extent of services provided to individuals under the State's Title XIX plan and to furnish information regarding any payments claimed for providing such services as the State Agency or Dept. of Health and Humans Services may request.

I further agree to accept, as payment in full, the amount paid by the Medicaid program for those claims submitted for payment under that program, with the exception of authorized deductible, coinsurance, co-payment or similar cost-sharing charge.

**SIGNATURE OF PHYSICIAN (OR SUPPLIER):** I certify that the services listed above were medically indicated and necessary to the health of this patient and were personally furnished by me or my employee under my personal direction.

**NOTICE:** This is to certify that the foregoing information is true, accurate and complete. I understand that payment and satisfaction of this claim will be from Federal and State funds, and that any false claims, statements, or documents, or concealment of a material fact, may be prosecuted under applicable Federal or State laws.

Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 15 minutes per response, including time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing the burden, to HCFA, Office of Financial Management, P.O. Box 26684, Baltimore, MD 21207; and to the Office of Management and Budget, Paperwork Reduction Project (OMB-0938-0008), Washington, D.C. 20503.

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## II. REMITTANCE ADVICE AND FIELD DESCRIPTIONS

### A. Remittance Advice Explanation

To simplify your accounts receivable reconciliation and posting functions, you will receive a comprehensive *Remittance Advice* with each Medicaid payment. The *Remittance Advice* is also available on magnetic computer tape for automated account receivable posting.

The *Remittance Advice* is separated into categories indicating the status of those claims listed below. Categories of the *Remittance Advice* include paid, denied and suspended claims. PAID indicates all processed claims, credits and adjustments for which there is full or partial reimbursement. DENIED represents all processed claims for which no reimbursement is made. SUSPENDED reflects claims which are currently in process pending resolution of one or more issues (recipient eligibility determination, reduction of charges, third party benefit determination, etc.).

Suspended claims may or may not print depending on which option was specified on the Medicaid Provider Application at the time of enrollment. You chose one of the following:

- ◆ Print suspended claims only once.
- ◆ Print all suspended claims until paid or denied.
- ◆ Do not print suspended claims.

Note that claim credits or recoupments (reversed) appear as regular claims with the exception that the transaction control number contains a “1” in the twelfth position and reimbursement appears as a negative amount. An adjustment to a previously paid claim produces two transactions on the *Remittance Advice*. The first appears as a credit to negate the claim; the second is the replacement or adjusted claim, containing a “2” in the twelfth position of the transaction control number.



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If the total of the credit amounts exceeds that of reimbursement made, the resulting difference (amount of credit – the amount of reimbursement) is carried forward and no check is issued. Subsequent reimbursement will be applied to the credit balance, as well, until the credit balance is exhausted.

An example of the *Remittance Advice* and a detailed field-by-field description of each informational line follows. It is important to study these examples to gain a thorough understanding of each element as each *Remittance Advice* contains important information about claims and expected reimbursement.

Regardless of one's understanding of the *Remittance Advice*, it is sometimes necessary to contact the fiscal agent with questions. When doing so, keep the *Remittance Advice* handy and refer to the transaction control number of the particular claim. This will result in timely, accurate information about the claim in question.

## **B. Facsimile of Remittance Advice and Detailed Field Descriptions**

(See the following pages.)

MEDICAID MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM

RUN DATE 06/12/97

REMITTANCE ADVICE

1. TO: [REDACTED] 2. R.A. NO.: 0000006 3. DATE PAID: 05/19/97 PROVIDER NUMBER: [REDACTED] 4. PAGE: 1 5.

\*\*\*\* PATIENT NAME \*\*\*\* REGIP ID / TRANS-CONTROL-NUMBER / BILLED OTHER PAID BY COPAY MED RCD NUM /  
LAST FIRST MI LINE SVC-DATE PROC/MODS UNITS AMT. SOURCES MCAID AMT. PERF. PROV. S EOB EOB

\* 6. CLAIM TYPE: HCFA 1500

\* 7. CLAIM STATUS: PAID

ORIGINAL CLAIMS:

8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.	16.
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	4-96331-00-053-0038-00	38.00	0.00	16.06	0.00	860600608B	900 000
17. 01	18. 10/3	19. 99212	20. 1	21. 38.00	22. 0.00	23. 16.06	24. 0.00	25. [REDACTED] 000 000
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	4-96348-00-018-0060-00	50.00	0.00	35.26	0.00	860600608B	000 000
01	11/15/96	J1055	1	41.00	0.00	33.18	0.00	[REDACTED] 26. F 000 000
02	11/15/96	9C782	1	9.00	0.00	2.08	0.00	[REDACTED] F 000 000

27.

REMITTANCE T O T A L S


PAID ORIGINAL CLAIMS:	NUMBER OF CLAIMS	2	88.00	51.32
PAID ADJUSTMENT CLAIMS:	NUMBER OF CLAIMS	0	0.00	0.00
DENIED ORIGINAL CLAIMS:	NUMBER OF CLAIMS	0	0.00	0.00
DENIED ADJUSTMENT CLAIMS:	NUMBER OF CLAIMS	0	0.00	0.00
PENDED CLAIMS (IN PROCESS):	NUMBER OF CLAIMS	0	0.00	0.00
AMOUNT OF CHECK:				51.32

----- THE FOLLOWING IS A DESCRIPTION OF THE EXPLANATION OF BENEFIT (EOB) CODES THAT APPEAR ABOVE:

28. 900 THE CLAIM IS IN SUSPENSE. DO NOT RESUBMIT THE CLAIM.

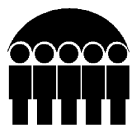
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### C. Remittance Advice Field Descriptions

1. Billing provider's name as specified on the Medicaid Provider Enrollment Application.
2. *Remittance Advice* number.
3. Date claim paid.
4. Billing provider's Medicaid (Title XIX) number.
5. *Remittance Advice* page number.
6. Type of claim used to bill Medicaid.
7. Status of following claims:
  - ◆ **Paid** – claims for which reimbursement is being made.
  - ◆ **Denied** – claims for which no reimbursement is being made.
  - ◆ **Suspended** – claims in process. These claims have not yet been paid or denied.
8. Recipient's last and first name.
9. Recipient's Medicaid (Title XIX) number.
10. Transaction control number assigned to each claim by the fiscal agent. Please use this number when making claim inquiries.
11. Total charges submitted by provider.
12. Total amount applied to this claim from other resources, i.e., other insurance or spenddown.
13. Total amount of Medicaid reimbursement as allowed for this claim.
14. Total amount of recipient copayment deducted from this claim.
15. Medical record number as assigned by provider; 10 characters are printable.



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16. Explanation of benefits code for informational purposes or to explain why a claim denied. Refer to the end of *Remittance Advice* for explanation of the EOB code.
17. Line item number.
18. The first date of service for the billed procedure.
19. The procedure code for the rendered service.
20. The number of units of rendered service.
21. Charge submitted by provider for line item.
22. Amount applied to this line item from other resources, i.e., other insurance, spenddown.
23. Amount of Medicaid reimbursement as allowed for this line item.
24. Amount of recipient copayment deducted for this line item.
25. Treating provider's Medicaid (Title XIX) number.
26. Allowed charge source code:
  - B** Billed charge
  - F** Fee schedule
  - M** Manually priced
  - N** Provider charge rate
  - P** Group therapy
  - Q** EPSDT total screen over 17 years
  - R** EPSDT total under 18 years
  - S** EPSDT partial over 17 years
  - T** EPSDT partial under 18 years
  - U** Gynecology fee
  - V** Obstetrics fee
  - W** Child fee



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27. Remittance totals (found at the end of the *Remittance Advice*):
- ◆ Number of paid original claims, the amount billed by the provider and the amount allowed and reimbursed by Medicaid.
  - ◆ Number of paid adjusted claims, amount billed by provider and amount allowed and reimbursed by Medicaid.
  - ◆ Number of denied original claims and amount billed by provider.
  - ◆ Number of denied adjusted claims and amount billed by provider.
  - ◆ Number of pended claims (in process) and amount billed by provider.
  - ◆ Amount of check.
28. Description of individual explanation of benefits codes. The EOB code leads, followed by important information and advice.

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### III. PROBLEMS WITH SUBMITTED CLAIMS

To inquire as to why a claim was denied or why a claim payment was not what you expected, please complete form 470-3744, *Provider Inquiry*. Attach copies of the claim, the *Remittance Advice*, and any supporting documentation you want to have considered, such as additional medical records. Send these to:

ACS, Attn: Provider Inquiry  
PO Box 14422  
Des Moines, Iowa 50306-3422

To make an adjustment to a claim following receipt of the *Remittance Advice*, use form 470-0040, *Credit/Adjustment Request*. Use the *Credit/Adjustment Request* to notify the fiscal agent to take an action against a paid claim, such as when:

- ◆ A paid claim amount needs to be changed, or
- ◆ Money needs to be credited back, or
- ◆ An entire *remittance advice* should be canceled.

Send this form to:

ACS, Attn: Credits and Adjustments  
PO Box 14422  
Des Moines, Iowa 50306-3422

Do **not** use this form when a claim has been denied. Denied claims must be resubmitted.

#### A. Facsimile of Provider Inquiry, 470-3744

You can obtain this form by printing or copying the sample in the manual or contacting the fiscal agent. A facsimile of the form follows.

#### B. Facsimile of Credit/Adjustment Request, 470-0040

You can obtain this form by printing or copying the sample in the manual or contacting the fiscal agent. A facsimile of the form follows.

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Attach supporting documentation. Check applicable boxes: ☐ Claim copy ☐ Remittance copy  
☐ Other pertinent information for possible claim reprocessing.

1. 17-DIGIT TCN																			
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2. NATURE OF INQUIRY

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(Please do not write below this line)

**FISCAL RESPONSE**

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**2. NATURE OF INQUIRY**

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**FISCAL AGENT RESPONSE**

<b>Provider Signature/Date:</b>	<b>MAIL TO: ACS</b> <b>P. O. BOX 14422</b> <b>DES MOINES IA 50306-3422</b>	<b>ACS Signature/Date:</b>
<b>Provider</b> 7-digit Medicaid Provider		(FOR ACS USE ONLY)
<b>Please</b>	ID# _____	PR Inquiry Log # _____
<b>Complete:</b>	Telephone _____	<b>Received Date Stamp:</b>
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**CREDIT/ADJUSTMENT REQUEST**

Do **not** use this form if your claim was denied. Resubmit denied claims.

**SECTION A: Check the most appropriate action and complete steps for that request.**☐ **CLAIM ADJUSTMENT**

- ◆ Attach a complete copy of claim. (If electronic, use next step.)
- ◆ Attach a copy of the Remittance Advice with corrections in **red ink**.
- ◆ Complete Sections B and C.

☐ **CLAIM CREDIT**

- ◆ Attach a copy of the Remittance Advice.
- ◆ Complete Sections B and C.

☐ **CANCELLATION OF ENTIRE REMITTANCE ADVICE**

- ◆ Use only if all claims on Remittance Advice are incorrect. This option is rarely used.
- ◆ Attach the check and Remittance Advice.
- ◆ Skip Section B. Complete Section C.

**SECTION B:**

1. 17-digit TCN

2. Pay-to Provider #:

4. 8-character Iowa Medicaid Recipient ID:  
(e.g., 1234567A)

3. Provider Name and Address:

5. Reason for Adjustment or Credit Request:

**SECTION C:**

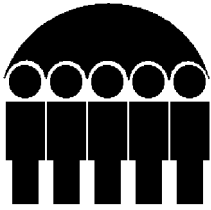
Provider/Representative Signature:

Date:

**FISCAL AGENT USE ONLY: REMARKS/STATUS**

Return All Requests To:

**ACS**  
**PO Box 14422**  
**Des Moines, IA 50306-3422**



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**ORTHOPEDIC SHOE DEALER MANUAL TRANSMITTAL NO. 98-1**

ISSUED BY: Division of Medical Services, Iowa Department of Human Services

SUBJECT: *Orthopedic Shoe Dealer Manual*, Table of Contents (page 4), revised, and Chapter F, *Billing and Payment*, pages 1 through 17, revised.

Chapter F is revised to update billing and payment instructions.

**Date Effective**

Upon receipt.

**Material Superseded**

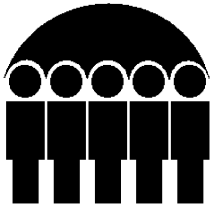
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3, 4	12/90
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14	Undated
15-17	10/01/93
18, 19	December 1, 1993

**Additional Information**

If any portion of this manual is not clear, please direct your inquiries to Consultec, fiscal agent for the Department of Human Services.





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April 16, 2003

**ORTHOPEDIC SHOE DEALER MANUAL TRANSMITTAL NO. 03-1**

ISSUED BY: Bureau of Managed Care and Clinical Services

SUBJECT: ***ORTHOPEDIC SHOE DEALER MANUAL***, Table of Contents, page 4, revised; Chapter E, *Coverage and Limitations*, pages 1 through 6, revised; and pages 7 and 8, new; Chapter F, *Billing and Payment*, page 4, revised; and pages 18 through 21, new.

This revision:

- ◆ Incorporates definitions of orthopedic shoes, accessories and modifications.
- ◆ Clarifies that athletic shoes are covered only for children when required for participation in school sport activities.
- ◆ Cross-references the Medicaid fee schedule for a listing of covered codes.
- ◆ Provides for an inquiry process for denied claims or if claim payment was not in the amount expected.

The Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) mandated uniform national standards for health information. Administrative simplification includes use of standard code sets such as CPT and HCPCS. Consequently, Iowa Medicaid has reviewed all orthopedic shoe dealer local codes, those beginning with a "W."

All local "W" codes are being eliminated except W0388, fitting charge. This code has been determined to be "atypical" in accordance with CMS guidelines and may continue to be billed, when appropriate. Please refer to Chapter E for all codes available for billing.

<u>Old Code</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>New Code</u>
W0304	Plaster impression foot orthotic	S0395
W0306	Tennis shoes	T1999
W0400	Mileage charge	CPT code 99082

Two forms are added to Chapter F:

- ◆ 470-3744, *Provider Inquiry*, and
- ◆ 470-0040, *Credit/Adjustment Request*.

Complete the *Provider Inquiry* if you wish to inquire about a denied claim or if claim payment was not as expected. Complete the *Credit/Adjustment Request* to notify ACS that:

- ◆ A paid claim amount needs to be changed; or
- ◆ Funds need to be credited back; or
- ◆ An entire *Remittance Advice* should be canceled.

### **Date Effective**

May 1, 2003

### **Material Superseded**

Remove the following pages from *Orthopedic Shoe Dealer Manual* and destroy them:

<u>Page</u>	<u>Date</u>
Table of Contents (page 4)	June 1, 1998
<b>Chapter E</b>	
1-2	July 1, 1986
3-6	April 1, 1991
<b>Chapter F</b>	
4	June 1, 1998

### **Additional Information**

The updated provider manual containing the revised pages can be found at:

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